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COMMANDANT NOTICE 16500

CANCELLED: JAN 31 2006

Subj: PURCHASE OF HIGH INTENSITY RETROREFLECTIVE TAPE

1. PURPOSE. This Notice outlines the procedures for local purchase of colored high intensity retroreflective edge tape for use on aids to navigation daymarks (dayboards).
2. ACTION. Area and district commanders shall ensure that all units with responsibilities for marking aids to navigation are aware of the information in this Notice. Internet release authorized.
3. DISCUSSION.
 - a. Qualified Products List (QPL) QPL 393, maintained by Commandant (CG-43), lists products which meet the requirements of G-SEC Specification 393, "High Intensity Retroreflective Films". Only products that are listed on the QPL shall be used in the manufacture of dayboards.
 - b. Units will order dayboard materials directly from this qualified vendor. At present, only 3M Corporation products are listed on QPL 393.
 - c. Enclosure (1) is a pricing agreement with 3M Corporation is from 1 July, 2005 to 31 January, 2006, for silver/white, yellow, red and green retroreflective tapes.

D. G. Gabel /s/
Assistant Commandant for Engineering & Logistics

Encl: (1) Pricing Agreement for Retroreflective Tapes

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Pricing Agreement
For
High Intensity Retroreflective Tapes
Manufactured in Accordance with
G-SEC Specification 393

3M Corporation
Quote No. 041901YM
July 1, 2005 through January 31, 2006

1. Products:

- a. High Intensity Retroreflective Tapes: Silver/white/yellow, red and green edge taping for dayboards are manufactured with low temperature, pressure sensitive adhesive.

Roll Size	3M Part Numbers			
	5870S Silver	5871S Yellow	5872S Red	5877S Green
1" X 50 yds			\$79.00	
2" X 50 yds			\$158.00	
3" X 50 yds			\$237.00	
4" X 50 yds			\$316.00	
6" X 50 yds			\$474.00	
12" X 50 yds			\$948.00	

- b. Nonstandard Items: Roll products not listed in the table above, and characters not stocked at the Engineering Logistics Center shall be purchased by field units directly from 3M.

2. Minimum order: \$500.00
3. Payment: Purchase order or credit card
4. Shipment: Delivery shall be 10 days from receipt of order.
5. Point of contact: Traffic Controls Materials Division
3M Corporation
3M Center, Building 225-5S-08
St. Paul, MN 55133-3225
Phone: 800-553-1380
FAX: 800-591-9293